racial justice film series



what:

Join us for movies that address issues related to prejudice and racial justice. We'll facilitate a discussion with each film. See discussion topics and list of films at right.

when:

6:00-9:00 p.m. on the following Thursday nights: September 10, October 8, and November 12

where:

YWCA 604 Training Room, 604 N. 6th Street, Lafayette (604 Building Annex - Enter the glass doors under the green awning on the west side of 6th Street.)

admission: Admission is FREE, but an RSVP is preferred. Call 765-742-0075.

snacks:

Soda pop and popcorn will be available for purchase.

September 10, Freedom Writers (2007) PG-13
A rookie high school teacher fights to make a positive difference in the lives of a diverse group of racially charged teens. • We will discuss the history of educational inequity, the state of the achievement gap in Tippecanoe County, and what we can do to help.

October 8, Remember the Titans (2000) PG
An African-American football coach hired in 1971
guides an integrated but racially polarized football
team in this true story. • Our discussion will center
on the history of racism in this area and disparities
that still exist.

November 12, Gran Torino (2008) R (Adults only) A Korean war veteran and retired autoworker defends his neighbors, who are immigrants from Southeast Asia, from a local gang despite his initial prejudice. • Discussion will focus on overcoming biases, prejudice in neighborhoods, and how we can prevent gang activity in our community.

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